

10/11/01

10/12/01

A/Reissue

PTO/SB/50 (02-01)

Approved for use through 01/31/2004. OMB 0651-0033
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

REISSUE PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Address to:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box Reissue
Washington, DC 20231

Attorney Docket No. 448563/0046

First Named Inventor Seiichi Hirano, et al

Original Patent Number 6,027,204

Original Patent Issue Date (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2000

Express Mail Label No. EL911520810US

APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:

(Check applicable box)



Utility Patent



Design Patent



Plant Patent

APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent
format (amended, if appropriate)
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
5. ☒ Reissue Oath/Declaration (original or copy)
(37 C.F.R. § 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. ☒ Power of Attorney
7. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned? ☒ Yes ☐ No
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))
- ☒ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53)
- ☒ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement
(PTO/SB/96)
8. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, Computer Program (Appendix
or large table
9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all of the following are necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i ☐ CD-ROM (2 copies) or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. ☒ Statement of status and support for all changes
to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173 (c).
11. ☐ Original U.S. Patent for surrender
 - ☐ Ribbioned Original Patent Grant
 - ☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
12. ☒ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119)
(if applicable)
13. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS
Citations
14. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration
(if applicable)
15. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
16. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
17. Other: Certificate of Mailing by
"Express Mail"

18. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS



Customer Number or Bar Code Label

(Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here)

or ☒ Correspondence address below

Name	Lawrence Rosenthal				
Address	Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP				
	180 Maiden Lane			Zip Code	10038
City	New York	State	New York	Fax	212-806-6006
Country	United States	Telephone	212-806-5400		

NAME (Print/Type)	Steven B. Pokotilow	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	26,405
Signature	<i>ABP</i>	Date	10/11/2001

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 1.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Reissue, Washington, DC 20231.

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

REISSUE APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL FORMDocket Number (Optional)
448563/0046

Claims as Filed - Part 1

Claims in Patent		Number Filed in Reissue Application	(3) Number Extra	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
				Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
(A) 23	Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))	(B) 23	**** 0 =	x \$ _____ =	or	x \$ 18 =	
(C) 6	Independent claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	(D) 6	* 0 =	x \$ _____ =		x \$ 81 =	
Basic Fee (37 CFR 1.16(h)) \$ _____							\$ 740.00
Total Filing Fee \$ _____						OR	\$ 740.00

Claims as Amended - Part 2

	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Extra Claims Present	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
					Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))	*** 35	MINUS	** 23	* = 12	x \$ 0 =		x \$ 18 =	\$216.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	*** 6	MINUS	***** 9	= 3	x \$ 0 =		x \$ 84 =	\$252.00
Total Additional Fee \$ _____						OR	\$ 468.00	

* If the entry in (D) is less than the entry in (C), Write "0" in column 3.

** If the "Highest Number of Total Claims Previously Paid For" is less than 20, Write "20" in this space.

*** After any cancellation of claims.

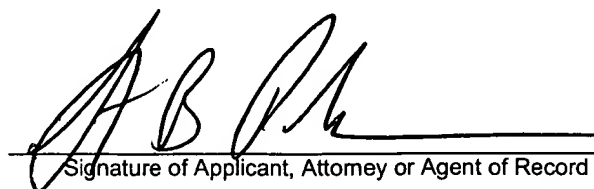
**** If "A" is greater than 20, use (B - A); if "A" is 20 or less, use (B - 20).

***** "Highest Number of Independent Claims Previously Paid For" or Number of Independent Claims in Patent (C).

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-4709 in the amount of \$1208.00.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4709.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing / additional fee is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

10/11/2001

Date



Signature of Applicant, Attorney or Agent of Record

Steven B. Pokotilow, Reg. No. 26,405

Typed or printed name

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" (37 CFR 1.10)

Applicant(s): Seichi Hirano et al.

Docket No.

448563/0046

Serial No.

08/834,151

Filing Date

October 11, 2001

Examiner

M. Brooke

Group Art Unit

2108

Invention:

PRINTER INCLUDING AN INK CARTRIDGE

I hereby certify that the following correspondence:

Reissue Patent Appln. Transmittal; Reissue Appln. Fee Transmittal Form; Reissue Appln. Decl. By the Inventors (4 pgs.); Reissue Appln. Decl. by the Assignee (3 pp.) Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b)(1 p.); Reissue Appln. Consent of Assignee; Statement of Status and Support for All Changes to the Claims; Foreign Priority Claim and Preliminary Amendment (10 pp.); Copy of U.S. Pat. No. 6,027,204; 54 Sheets Drawings; Return Postcard

(Identify type of correspondence)

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: The Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

October 11, 2001*(Date)*David L. Schaeffer*(Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence)*
*(Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence)*EL911520810US*("Express Mail" Mailing Label Number)***Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing.**